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> Lester Snow CALFED Bay-Delta Program 1416 9th Street, Suite 1115 Sacramento CA 95814

Subject: Proposal for New Location of Fish Facility

Dear Mr. Snow:

Enclosed for your consideration is a proposal prepared by Jim Arthur of my staff. The proposed actions describe an alternate solution to some of the direct and indirect impacts created by the direct transfer of Federal and State project water through existing south Delta channels. Of course, this alternative would need to be fully analyzed to determine the impacts of implementation, including the relationship to proposed South Delta Barriers and Delta Wetlands projects.

The enclosed information is organized as follows:

1. Summary of proposal

2. Proposal

Problems to be resolved
Proposal description
Disadvantages and advantages
Figure showing proposed path of facility
Detailed discussion of problems to be resolved

We understand a meeting with you to discuss the Tracy Fish Facility has been requested. We look forward to the opportunity to discuss this with you. In the meantime, if you have additional questions, please feel free to contact either Jim or me at (916) 979-2472.

Sincerely,

Penny S. Howard

Regional Environmental Officer

Enclosure

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